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Let's do
nothing

NOTE FOR: Mr. Warner

SUBJECT: Movement of Cuban SAM Sites

1. Attached is the classified paper prepared by DDI concerning the reasons for the realignment of SAM sites in Cuba. You will recall that this is one of the items that Lipscomb "muttered aloud about," and I thought it might be given to him whenever you see fit.

2. As you recall, Lipscomb also made a remark about State and the Agency having different classifications on troop figures in Cuba.

25X1 [] explained that in their unclassified paper, the hedge word on reporting the troop figures was "about." [] talked to []

25X1 [] and they would rather hedge on the whole question. Their rationale is that McNamara has publicly given out troop figures which are pretty accurate. Since these figures are in the public domain, [] and 25X1 [] feel perfectly free to give Lipscomb such information on an unclassified basis. Technically, if the word "about" were removed and figures were refined, then troop figures would have to be considered classified.

3. If this makes sense to you and you have no further questions, I don't think there is any further action required by us. If you'd like to nail this down more precisely, then we should talk to []

25X1 []

4. Also Lawler said they would be prepared to issue promptly next year another unclassified paper for Lipscomb's use in his October 1966 speech to the Kiwanis Club in his District.

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